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WATERMARK, DECODING METHOD, AND
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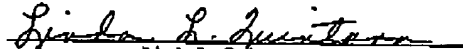
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 12, 2006 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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